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In re Application of

James G. Buechler

Serial No.: 10/644,182 : NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL

Filed: August 20, 2003 : FROM ISSUE

For: MODULAR SHELVING SYSTEM: UNDER C.F.R. 1.313(b)

The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue after payment of the issue fee due to unpatentability of one or more claims. See 37 CFR 1.313(b)(3).

The application is being withdrawn to permit reopening of prosecution. The reasons therefore will be communicated to you by the examiner.

USPTO records reveal that the issue fee has been paid. The issue fee is refundable upon written request. The applicant may request a refund or may request that the fee be credited to a deposit account. If, however, the application is again found allowable, the issue fee can be applied toward payment of the issue fee in the amount identified on the new Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due upon written request. This request and any balance due must be received on or before the due date noted in the new Notice of Allowance in order to prevent abandonment of the application.

Telephone inquiries should be directed to Lanna Mai at (571) 272-6867.

The application is being forwarded to the examiner for prompt appropriate action, including notifying applicant of the new status of this application.

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